

HAS THE LARGEST CIRCULATION OF ANY NEWSPAPER IN THIS COUNTY.

Religious Services.

Burns 1st. and 3rd. Sundays of the month 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Narrows 2nd. Sunday, 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Silver Creek 4th. Sunday 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Harney 5th Sunday 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. and Thursdays at 7 p. m. before the 1st. and 3rd. Sundays, Poison Creek Thursday at 7 p. m. after 1st. and 3rd. Sundays.

REV. GIBSON, Pastor.

Local News.

—Latest style of ladies hats at eastern prices.

J. Durkheimer.

—The little Gem Saloon, is a "gem" in every particular. Bob Reed proprietor. Bob says, "come and see me."

—Tom Stephens who has been absent for some time returned a few days since and reports times getting better every where he was during his absence.

—Mrs. Mary Matthes has received her spring styles of ladies hats and a full stock of millinery. Don't forget to call and examine her stock and hear her prices.

—Mr. Scherer has the room north of the Burns Meat Market and has an organ there. Any one wishing to take lessons and have no instrument will do well to call on him.

—Mr. and Mrs. Garrett, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil, Mr. and Mrs. Hogan, Mr. and Mrs. Lillard and Mr. and Mrs. Dibble all of Silver Creek were in town last Sunday and Monday.

—The two peddlers of ready made clothing, who were here last September will be here again in a few days with a full supply of gents clothing, under wear etc. Prices cheaper than the cheapest.

—It is officially announced that C. W. Parrish has received the appointment of prosecuting atty of this district. Mr Parrish is an atty. of long experience and will certainly honor the office. His many friends are happy to congratulate him, and we think the legal fraternity of the district is well pleased with the appointment.

—The Dibble Bros., on Silver Creek met with quite a loss by fire on last Thursday. Their store room accidentally caught on fire and was entirely destroyed together with the greater portion of its contents.

—The sealed proposals for the improvement of the court house block were opened on the 25th by the county court. Fourteen bids were offered ranging from \$857.00 to the low figures of \$225. The last bid was that of Mr. Cal Geer, and he was awarded the contract.

—This, the 9th, Judicial district, will have its spring and fall terms of court as follows; Grant 1st Monday in May and 1st Monday in October. Malheur 3d Monday in May and 4th Monday in October. Our county, 2nd Monday in June and 1st Monday in October. M. D. Clifford judge, prosecuting Atty. Chas. Parrish.

—The Hanley Bros shipped several car loads of fat cattle a short time since fatted here and will, so we are informed, ship several more about the 1st of April.

—Harney's new board of city "cads" are; For Mayor, C. A. Gilman, Councilmen, S. R. Copeland and Sam'l Mickle, Treas. T. H. Roberts, Marshal, Harry McClure, Surveyor Wm. Crawford.

—If Baker City expects to make a good road on the route proposed in order to secure the trade of Burns, they will have to multiply their present donation by three and expend it on the road.

—Geo. Stanlift has moved to his ranche near Happy Valley, where the family will remain until after sheep shearing. Joe Price has moved out of town on the Stanlift ranche near here.

—Thos Hare who has been away about six months on a trip to San Francisco returned to this place the latter part of last week. He reports that San Francisco is not so lively as it once was, but still he thinks that times are getting better and business men more hopeful.

—ANOTHER RUNAWAY—On Monday afternoon as Capt. Waters was driving home from town his team became unmanagable, and ran away the Capt. was thrown from his buggy and was very much bruised and jolted up but we understand no bones were broken. The buggy was very much damaged. Better the buggy than the occupant.

—Cal Geer met with a serious accident last Sunday afternoon, which might have been much worse. He was driving a team hitched to a buggy, something frightened them and caused them to run. One or two of the traces became detached which gave the horses space enough so that the tongue fell from the neck yoke to the ground, the end of the tongue ran into the ground which threw the buggy up to a considerable height, throwing Mr Geer to the ground with great force breaking two ribs of the left side and the left collar bone. Mr. Geer is doing very well at this writing and his physician thinks he will only be confined to the bed a short time.

—Messrs Burns and Bowers traveling agts. for the O. R. & N. R. Co whom we noted in last weeks issue, met the business men of our town at Chas. Voegtly's hardware house last Thursday. Their object, as stated last week, is to get our trade both freight and stock. They stated that citizens of Baker city and vicinity had subscribed about \$1800, towards a wagon road leaving the Baker City road some distance from that place and connecting with Burns-Ontario road near Drewsey. This road to be built immediately so to secure, if possible our spring trade, and in time for our wool. These gentlemen claim that the distance, on this, partly, new route, will not exceed, from this place to Baker City 125 miles. The railroad company have leased or rented warehouses, store rooms etc so as to be able to do a general forwarding business, have also built stock-yards with an eye single to the trade of this country. And in fact have made all arrangements necessary for our accomodation hoping to secure our trade

—Last Sunday was a day here, long to be remembered by Church people. Messrs. Shearman and Gibson baptist ministers received into the Church by immersion twenty-seven additions. The following are the names of the baptized: Mesdames B. R. Porter, Henry Caldwell, Alice King, J. B. Huntington, Chas Adams, Ed Walton, Chas. Anderson, Jas. Moore, William Smith Misses Lela McGee, Hester Johnson, Maud Jameson, Sadie Wilson, Emma Wilson, Jennie McPheeters, Myrtle Porter, Myrtle Jameson and Mabel Gowar. Messrs. Henry Caldwell, J. Wilson, Chas. Anderson, Henry Cheatham, Frank McClintock, Hubert Smith, Bert Wilson, Minice Caldwell and Homer Reed. Not knowing the christian names of many of the ladies we use the name of the husband. Dr. McPheeters, D. Jameson and Martin Byerly were admitted to the Church having been baptized as former members of same Church.

Huntington To The Front.

To Patrons—Huntington is now the envy of competing points in a Railroad sense in particular, we have advantage over all, we are now a competing point for two R. R. lines the Union pacific and O. R. and N. Co's. We have the choice of two roads and each one after your business. No better rates can be gotten at any point than here on wool and other goods send your wool to Huntington and get benefit in prices received by cut rates on either road the O. R. & N. Co. will prevail on you to ship to other points on their road than Huntington thereby controlling your shipments and cutting off the U. P. R. and the O. R. & N. Co. agents may visit you and make statements to the contrary but bear in mind they are looking for their own interests not yours. No point offers greater advantages than Huntington. None can work for less wages, no point will have more wool buyers, our charges as low or lower than others, this being true is it possible considering above conditions that any point can do as well by you as Huntington? We are here to stay and give you square deals our past record is our recommendation. Don't be misled by agents or others statements ship your goods, wool etc. in our care.

Respt. O. C. Co

John Rollins, who lives in Putman county, Ohio, a year ago married the Widow Dalyring, who has a daughter aged 17 years. John has eloped with the daughter, and the wife has eloped with John's 23-year old son. Both father and son are wealthy, owning large tracts of land, and both have always occupied the same house. The father and his young sweetheart have gone east, possibly to Pittsburg Pa. The wife's attorney has filed a petition for divorce, and the old man's lawyer will doubtless soon receive instructions to file a cross petition. Many believe that the two couples will go to living amicably in the same house a year from now the father married to the step daughter, while the son will wed his father's wife.

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